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CAUSE NO. ~~11694~~ REGULATORY COMMISSION

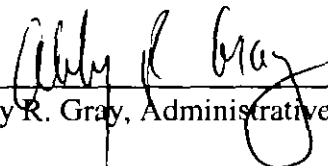
VERIFIED PETITION OF NORTHERN )  
INDIANA PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY FOR )  
APPROVAL OF AN ELECTRIC INDUSTRIAL )  
FIRM INCREMENTAL POWER SERVICE )  
CONTRACT WITH UNITED STATES STEEL )  
CORPORATION, MIDWEST PLANT, AND )  
FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF )  
CONFIDENTIAL PROCEDURES RELATING )  
TO SAID CONTRACT )

You are hereby notified that on this date, the Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission has caused the following entry to be made:

On November 22, 2004, Petitioner, Northern Indiana Public Service Company ("NIPSCO") filed its *Motion for Continuance* ("Motion") in the above-captioned cause. In its Motion NIPSCO requests that the November 22, 2004 prefiling deadline for the Office of Utility Consumer Counselor ("OUCC") be extended, and that the procedural schedule in this cause be continued following a meeting of the parties on December 9, 2004. In support of its Motion, Petitioner states that counsel for Intervenor has been contacted and has no objection to this Motion.

The Presiding Officer, having reviewed the Motion and being duly advised in the premises hereby GRANTS the Motion and finds that the procedural schedule in this cause is hereby suspended pending a meeting of the parties on December 9, 2004 at 1:30 p.m. in Room E-306 of the Indiana Government Center South, Indianapolis, Indiana.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

  
Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge

Date: November 23, 2004